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## **BY ECF**

The Honorable Lorna G. Schofield United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: <u>Sea Trade Maritime Corporation et al. v. Stelios Coutsodontis, 09-cv-00488</u> (LGS)(HBP)

Dear Judge Schofield:

We represent Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matter and write this joint letter, on behalf of both Plaintiffs and Defendants, to inform the court that all parties do not consent to a trial before Magistrate Judge Pitman. Since both parties did not consent to have Judge Pitman conduct the trial, we did not complete the ECF form, entitled "Consent to Proceed Before a Magistrate Judge."

The parties are now available for a conference call to schedule a trial date.

Very truly yours,

/s/

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